AN THE UNITED STATES ATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Group Art Unit: 2811 Eugene P. Marsh :Applicant(s): FEB 2 1 2002 Examiner: Unknown 09/942,200 Serial No.: COPY OF PAPERS Confirmation No.: 2811 ORIGINALD X FILE PO.: 150.0064 010 29 August 2001 Filed: DIFFUSION BARRIER LAYERS AND METHODS OF FORMING SAME Title: **Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231 We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate): An itemized return postcard. <u>X</u> A Petition for Extension of Time for \_\_ month(s) and a check in the amount of \$\_\_ for the required fee. An Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs); copies of 0 applications; 1449 forms (6 pgs); and copies of 5 documents cited on the 1449 forms. A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_, for A certified copy of a \_\_application, Serial No. \_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, the right of priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119. Other:

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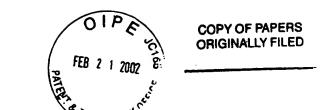
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Sir:

In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with C.F.R. §§ 1.97 *et. seq.*, the materials enclosed herewith are brought to the attention of the Examiner as possibly being of interest in connection with the above-identified patent application. Consideration of each of the documents listed on the attached 1449 form(s) is respectfully requested. Pursuant to the provisions of M.P.E.P. §609, Applicant further requests that a copy of the 1449 form(s), marked as being considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next Official Communication.

This application is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/146,866 (issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,323,081). In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(d), copies of documents previously cited by or submitted to the U.S. Patent Office in connection with Applicants' prior application(s) listed above, are not included herewith.

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The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Representatives at the belowlisted telephone number, if they can be of any assistance during prosecution of the present application.

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